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SUBJ: POSSIBILITY OF SRI LANKA-SOUTH VIET-NAM DIPLOMATIC TIES

1. PRESS LAST WEEK REPORTED ACTING MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS LAKSHMAN JAYAKODY AS SAYING SRI LANKA AND GOVERNMENT OF SOUTH VIET-NAM HAD AGREED TO ESTABLISH DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS AT EMBASSY LEVEL. ACTION WAS DESCRIBED AS IN PURSUANCE TO ACCORDING OF DIPLOMATIC RECOGNITION TO PRG BY GSL WITH EFFECT FROM JULY 14, 1970.

2. MDFA SOURCE TOLD EMBASSY JUNE 18 THAT THERE IS AGREEMENT IN PRINCIPLE TO ESTABLISH DIPLOMATIC MISSIONS IN BOTH COUNTRIES. HE NOTED, HOWEVER, THAT AS PRACTICAL PROPOSITION, RESIDENT DIPLOMATIC MISSIONS ARE UNLIKELY TO BE ESTABLISHED ANY TIME IN FORESEEABLE FUTURE, BUT DUAL ACCREDITATION IN SOME THIRD COUNTRY, SUCH AS INDIA, MIGHT TAKE PLACE EARLIER.
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